

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Replace the originally filed Abstract of the Disclosure with the following new Abstract of the Disclosure. The new Abstract of the Disclosure is also set forth on a separate sheet attached to the end of this Amendment.

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A body fluid collecting device which is easy to operate to collect body fluid and which is capable of detecting specific components in body fluid with a small amount of sample includes a sensor to detect a prescribed component in the body fluid, and a first supporter to support the vicinity of the measuring part of the sensor and a second supporter to support the sensor at a place closer to the proximal end than the first supporter. The first and second supporters form between them a non-contact space, wherein the first supporter has at its proximal end a concave that communicates with the non-contact space.